

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Power State Bank

at Power, in the State of Montana, at the close of business, April 3, 1923.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	50,593.94	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	49.70	50,643.64
Judgments and claim accounts		670.00
Banking house furniture and fixtures	1,915.00	
Other real estate	6,564.75	
Other Resources	2,450.00	10,929.75
Cash reserve:		
Gold coin	10.00	
Silver coin	569.49	
Currency	545.00	
Due from approved reserve agents	6,531.87	7,656.36
Checks and exchanges for clearing house		172.10
Expenses in excess of earnings		209.86
Total		70,281.71

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	20,000.00	
Surplus fund	5,000.00	25,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check State, county and other municipal deposits	29,951.83	
Time certificates of deposit due within 30 days	246.51	
Cashier checks	746.05	30,944.39
Time certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days	5,337.32	5,337.32
Certificates of deposit issued for borrowed money	4,000.00	4,000.00
Due war finance corporation		5,000.00
Total		70,281.71

State of Montana, County of Teton, ss:

I, A. K. Nelson, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. K. Nelson, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of April, 1923. E. C. Nelson,

(SEAL) Notary Public in and for the state of Montana, residing at Power. My commission expires January 17, 1926.

Correct attest, Fred A. Woehner, J. C. Morgan, directors

Mrs. J. I. Cain entertained the Friday afternoon bridge club last Friday. Mrs. James Eckford will entertain this Friday.

Prof. R. F. Williamson and his sister, Miss Bertie Williamson, were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Crary Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Nelson and little daughter returned from Joplin, Montana, where they had been called by the illness of Mrs. Nelson's mother.

Mrs. Chester Hale entertained at bridge Tuesday afternoon. The invited guests were Mrs. Homey Dickey, Mrs. Jack Dickey, Mrs. O. Joanis, Mrs. Henry Robison, Mrs. Walter Myers, Mrs. C. Looney, Mrs. L. E. Taylor and Mrs. John Hall.

The Eastern Star ladies will be hostesses to the Masons at a card and dancing party this evening.

Mrs. W. E. Logan and little daughter left Monday for an extended visit to Chillicothe, Mo. They will be gone until June 1st.

Miss Harriet Doege was hostess at a prettily appointed dinner Saturday evening at her home. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reiquam, Miss Marion Pridham, Mr. Jack Sweat and Mr. Al. Dalby.

Miss Marion Pridham was hostess to a few of her friends at cards and dancing at her home Saturday evening. The guests were Miss Harriet Doege, Miss Erma Cleland, Miss Mable O'Neil, Mrs. Wm. Reiquam, Mrs. I. G. Lestrud, Mr. Jack Sweat, Henry Hammond, Teddy McDonald, Wm. Reiquam and I. G. Lestrud.

Mrs. Chas. McDonald was hostess to a six course dinner party Sunday. The centerpiece consisted of jonquils and tulips. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Cain, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. John Hannon and Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Bateman.

Arrah Moore and George Loomis were hosts at a party given at the home of John Moore. The guests included Ruth Moore, Agnes Tallson, Helen Irons, Florence Trescott, Ruth Martine, Mary Core, Evelyn Upman, Ellen Shields, Grace Dow, Fay Lear, Eleanor Crossen, Chester Beach, Kenneth Ragland, Byron Rogers, Robert McGregor, Donald Davis, Franklin Oulton, Harold Irons, Sidney Crossen, Thomas Moore, Richard Stephens, Anton Mozer, Hylon Burch, John Sulgrove, George Loomis and Arrah Moore.

Invitations are out for a party to be given by Miss Margaret Taylor and Miss Violet Dow at the Taylor home Saturday evening. Besides the regular dancing and games, special dances and readings will be given. Those who have received invitations are Misses Katherine McDonald, Katharine Dunn, Dorothy Dunn, Hazel Upman, Mildred Thompson, Ruth Haugen, Grace Dow, Patsy Pridham, Lucille Morgan, Eva Hirschberg, Eleanor Crossen, Beulah Thompson, Mary Core, Blanche Bennetson, and James Rhoads, Wm. Innes, Glenn Wiprud, Earl Hansen, Wm. Roulston, Howard Jourdonnais, Howard Martine, Clarence Stephens, Earl Bennett, Clinton Core, Henry Crossen, Darwin Crane, Howard Doege, William Bateman, Morris Franklin, Morris Moore and Chas. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Packer were the dinner guests of Mrs. Stanley Foot on Sunday.

"The Stream of Life," is a six reel picture of the highest type. Come and see it Sunday at the Methodist church.

**IN BANKRUPTCY NOTICE**  
This is to give notice: That in the District Court of the United States for the district of Montana, Joseph H. Torgerson of Conrad, Pondera county, Montana, has been duly adjudged a bankrupt, upon his own petition, that the payment of any debts or the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him is forbidden by law; that the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, for the purpose of filing and proving claims and to choose one or more trustees, for examining the bankrupt under oath, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden before A. H. Gray, Referee in Bankruptcy, Room 1, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Montana, on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated this 9th day of April, A. D. 1923.

A. H. GRAY, Referee.

WILL INVESTIGATE OLD CITY

American Archeologists to Delve into Site of Ancient Punic Stronghold of Carthage.

While the world is waiting with bated breath for the complete revelation promised by Lord Carnarvon's discovery in the sands of Egypt, it learns of the intention of a number of American supporters of archeological excavation to expend a substantial annual sum for ten years on the investigation of the ancient Punic city of Carthage. Half historical and half mythical, Tyrian Carthage— which must not be confused with the later and flourishing Roman city of the African fathers, of the Donatists, and of Belsarius—stands as no city of sweetness and light, but rather as a type of the commercial and, for all the splendors which poetry and art have woven about its fabric, of the commonplace and the banalistic. Archeology, however, may correct this impression, though, when the spade has performed its task, it may be questioned whether, after all, Carthage as seen through the eyes of Virgil, Turner and Flaubert does not yet present the more entrancing spectacle. Despite Schleimann, the Scean gate is still nearer to us in Homer than in the ground plan of Hissarlik, and Agamemnon's palace is still rather to be sought in the pages of Aeschylus than on the modern site of excavated Mycena. But we would not underrate the spade-work of scholars, or its results. What was Crete, with Labyrinth and Minotaur, but a myth a short time ago? What is it now if not Phao's Atlantis regained?—New York Tribune.

GUTENBERG BIBLE FOR SALE

Said to Be Finest Example Left of First Book Printed by Mechanical Means.

From Leipzig comes word that the copy of the famous Gutenberg Bible, which is said to be the finest example extant of the first book printed by mechanical means, is on the market, to be sold to the highest bidder.

The Bible for years has reposed in the Leipzig museum of books. Its sale at this time is forced because the museum is unable to continue its existence without new funds to cover its cost of maintenance.

This copy of the Gutenberg Bible was presented to the state of Saxony by a Dresden collector. The state, in turn, vested the title in the Leipzig museum, and this institution, at the present, is prepared to pass on the heritage to the highest bidder.

Artists of Germany, including Max Liebermann, Louis Corlith, and others, are attempting to raise funds to cover the deficit and save the book for Germany. The value of the Leipzig Bible is practically beyond appraisal. One copy, in bad condition, was sold in 1911 for \$500,000. All other examples known are damaged. This Leipzig Bible alone is a perfect specimen, and, for that reason, is most highly valued of all those examples of the early printing art.

**Another Use for X-Ray.**  
The French investigators, who are among the most ingenious, have discovered that the X-ray furnishes a very ready means to detect stony impurities in coal. Now, carbon is very transparent to the Roentgen rays, while silica is opaque to them. Consequently the silicates, which form slag when coal is burned, can be seen like a skeleton when the shadow of the coal is projected upon a fluorescent screen. It is reported that this method is much in vogue in France.—Washington Star.

**His Opinion.**  
"I was reading in the paper last night," remarked Gabe Giggery, "that over there in Rooshy you can beg a divorce as easy as buying a sack of peanuts, and then get married in five minutes, if you want to."  
"Well, I'll tell you," replied Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "Judging from the pictures I've seen of them there Rooshy ladies, if I got a divorce from one of 'em I shore wouldn't want to marry another'n for several days."  
—Kansas City Star.

**Had Assistance.**  
In the recent drive to raise money for the Radcliffe endowment fund an alumna of that college employed two small boys to sell soap. "Why are you selling the soap?" inquired a lady at a house on Johnnie's beat. "To raise \$3,000,000 for Radcliffe," was the prompt reply. "Three million dollars!" the lady exclaimed, amused at the youngster's seriousness. "And are you going to raise it all by yourself?" "No, ma'am," said Johnnie, "there's another little boy helping me."

**Yes, Quite Fair!**  
According to the New York Morning Telegraph, Mr. John Barrymore, strolling aimlessly through the Plaza recently, was encountered by an old friend. "Why, Jack!" exclaimed the old friend. "It's been such a long time since I've seen you. How are you, anyway?" Mr. Barrymore announced that he was perfectly splendid, or something to the same effect. "But look here! Aren't you opening in 'Hamlet' tonight? What about it?" "Well," he remarked in a noncommittal tone, "it's a good part."

**Rotary Plow for Snow.**  
A Wisconsin inventor's rotary plow for highways throws snow in a stream 200 feet to one side and is equipped with picks for breaking frozen snow.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Citizens State Bank,

at Choteau, in the state of Montana, at the close of business April 3rd, 1923.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	297,393.19	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	677.36	
Bonds, stocks and warrants	865.06	298,935.61
Banking house furniture and fixtures	4,005.75	
Other Real Estate	4,396.54	8,402.29
Cash and due from banks		46,270.13
Checks and exchanges for clearing house		963.17
Total		\$354,571.20

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	50,000.00	
Surplus fund	15,000.00	
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	5,692.71	70,692.71
Individual deposits subject to check	203,915.32	
Time certificates of deposit due within 30 days	1,485.00	
Cashier checks	2,311.66	207,711.98
Time certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days	41,776.78	
Savings deposits subject to 30 day's notice	4,389.73	46,166.51
Bills payable with collateral	30,000.00	30,000.00
Total		\$354,571.20

State of Montana, county of Teton, ss.

I, James Eckford, president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

James, Eckford, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of April, 1923.

(Notarial Seal) W. G. Bloomdahl, Notary Public in and for the state of Montana, residing at Choteau, My commission expires July 7th, 1925.

Correct Attest: P. H. Crossen, G. M. Coffey, Directors.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Kathryn Dunn, Mildred Thompson and Earl Hansen were features of a party. Mary Core acted as floor manager. Refreshments were served at 11 p. m. The guests were Eleanor Crossen, Kathryn Dunn, Blanche Bennetson, Katherine McDonald, Margaret Taylor, Violet Dow, Lucille Morgan, Hazel Upman, Patsy Pridham, Ruth Haugen, Mildred Thompson, Eva Hirschberg, Mary Core, Chas. Davis, Howard Doege, Howard Jourdonnais, Clarence Stephens, William Roulston, William Innes, Earl Hansen, Clinton Core, Herry Crossen, Darwin Crane and Glenn Wiprud.

Mrs. E. J. Hirschberg and Mrs. A. Hirschberg motored to Fairfield Tuesday.

The Pythian Sisters were hostesses to a delightful card and dancing party at the K. P. hall Monday evening.

Clinton Core, Henry Crossen, Darwin Crane and Glenn Wiprud entertained 25 of their friends at a dancing party at the home of Mrs. G. C. Core Saturday evening. Special dances by

Groceries

Bargain Prices

Monarch Salad Dressing, regular 50 cents for	35c
Libbys Asparagus Tips, regular 50 cents for	35c
Sliced Peaches per can	30c
No. 2 1/2 Can Sauer Kraut for	20c
No. 10 Can Grated Pineapple for	65c
5 Pound Package Dried Apples, regular \$1.35 for	\$1.10
5 Pound Package Prunes for	\$1.00
No. 5 Can Pure Fruit Preserves for	\$1.25
Ceretana Rolled Oats, large package for	30c
22 Bars Laundry Soap for	\$1.00
3 Dozen Spring Clothes Pins for	20c
Premium Soda Crackers, put up in tin cake boxes	75c

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<p>ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH (Protestant Episcopal) Rev. H. E. Bush, Minister SUNDAY SERVICES: 11:00 a. m. Divine Worship. 12:00 m. Church School. 7:30 p. m. Evening prayer. The services of this Church are open to the public, "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good."</p>	<p>CHOTEAU HOSPITAL Mrs. Rhoads and Bateman</p>
<p>CHEVALIER LODGE NO. 12 K. OF P. Meets every Thursday evening at the K. of P. Hall. Visiting brothers cordially invited to meet with us. FRANK CURTIS, C. C. E. A. CLELAND, K. R. &amp; S.</p>	<p>QUEEN REBEKAH LODGE NO. 31, I. O. O. F. Meets on the first and third Friday nights of each month. Mrs. DAVIS, N. G. CLARA MELLON, Secy</p>
<p>CHOTEAU POST NO. 6 AMERICAN LEGION Meets on the second Tuesday of each month at the Choteau Club rooms. WM. HODGSKISS, Post Com. B. I. PACKER, Adj.</p>	<p>RATHBONE TEMPLE NO. 25 PYTHIAN SISTERS Meets on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month at the K. P. Hall MRS. E. A. CLELAND, M. E. C. HELEN T. INNES, M. R. S.</p>
<p>H. D. Robison, Pres. Jas. T. Robison, Secy. TETON COUNTY ABSTRACT CO. Prompt attention given all branches of abstract work.</p>	<p>CHOTEAU LODGE NO. 11 I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at their hall in the Connor Building. Visiting brothers always welcome. WM. ODENWALD, N. G. JOHN SPEERS, Secy.</p>
<p>COTTONWOOD CAMP NO. 210 Meets first and third Monday evenings of each month at the K. of P. hall.</p>	<p>DR. E. B. MAYNARD Homeopathist Larson Building Phone No. 130 W CHOTEAU, MONT</p>